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



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





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









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<a href="#">DRAFT Pennsylvania Improving Waters Program Guidelines: Documenting and Reporting Measureable, Incremental Improvements in Water Quality of Streams, Rivers and Lakes (DEP ID: 394-3000-001)</a>	Policy	 10/31/2015	10/31/2015	11/30/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
<a href="#">DRAFT General Permit: PAG-03 Discharges of Stormwater Associated With Industrial Activity</a>	Policy	 10/17/2015	10/17/2015	11/16/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
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<a href="#">Draft Assessment and Listing Methodology: Nutrient Impact Assessment Protocol for Wadeable Streams</a>	Policy	 10/3/2015	10/3/2015	11/17/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
<a href="#">Draft Assessment and Listing Methodology: Lake Assessment Protocol</a>	Policy	 10/3/2015	10/3/2015	11/17/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
<a href="#">Draft Assessment and Listing Methodology: Aquatic Macrophyte Coverage Procedures for Lake Assessments</a>	Policy	 10/3/2015	10/3/2015	11/17/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
<a href="#">Draft Assessment and Listing Methodology: Quantitative Plankton Sampling Method for Lakes</a>	Policy	 10/3/2015	10/3/2015	11/17/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
<a href="#">Draft Assessment and Listing Methodology: Chlorophyll A Sampling Method for Lakes</a>	Policy	 10/3/2015	10/3/2015	11/17/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
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<a href="#">Pennsylvania's Path to Compliance with EPA's Final Rule for Carbon Pollution Emissions Guidelines for Existing Sources: EGUs (Clean Power Plan)</a>	Other	 9/12/2015	9/3/2015	11/12/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>	<a href="#">Submit comments</a>
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
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<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Energy Works, Adams County; CAFO layer manure from Hillendale Farms</a>	Other	 9/26/2015	9/26/2015	10/26/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request (Inter-Basin): Greencastle (Franklin County), for nutrient credits generated in the Potomac River Basin for use in the Susquehanna River Basin</a>	Other	 9/12/2015	9/12/2015	9/30/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Unlimited Renewables (Lancaster County), CAFO layer manure from Esbenshade and Kreider farms</a>	Other	 8/29/2015	8/29/2015	9/28/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Draft Reclamation Fee Fiscal Year Report (2014-2015)</a>	Other	 8/22/2015	8/22/2015	9/14/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Proposed SIP Revision: 2011 Base Year Inventory for the Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, Lanc, Phila-Wilmington-AC, Pitt-Beaver Valley, and Reading for the 2008 8-Hour Ozone NAAQS</a>	Other	 8/22/2015	8/22/2015	9/21/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Modification of Residual Waste General Permit WMGR052</a>	Other		8/15/2015	10/14/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>

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Federal Consistency Under the Coastal Zone Management Act: Boat Lift on Niagara Pier, Presque Isle Bay, Lake Erie	Other		8/15/2015	8/15/2015	8/31/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Proposed Rulemaking: Control of VOC Emissions from Miscellaneous Metal Parts Surface Coating Processes, Miscellaneous Plastic Parts Surface Coating Processes and Pleasure Craft Surface Coatings</a>	Reg		8/8/2015	8/8/2015	10/13/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Proposed Rulemaking: Control of VOC Emissions from Automobile and Light-Duty Truck Assembly Coating Operations and Heavier Vehicle Coating Operations</a>	Reg		8/8/2015	8/8/2015	10/13/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Lycoming Conservation District (Lycoming County) on behalf of Jim McCoy Farms</a>	Other		8/29/2015	8/1/2015	9/11/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Lycoming Conservation District (Lycoming County) on behalf of Harry Rogers</a>	Other		8/29/2015	8/1/2015	9/11/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Lycoming Conservation District (Columbia County) on behalf of GNH Farms</a>	Other		8/29/2015	8/1/2015	9/11/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Lycoming Conservation District (Sullivan County) on behalf Lambert Farms</a>	Other		8/29/2015	8/1/2015	9/11/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Lycoming Conservation District (Lycoming and Tioga County) on behalf of Bishcroft Farms</a>	Other		8/29/2015	8/1/2015	9/11/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Nutrient Credit Trading Program Certification Request: Lycoming Conservation District (Clinton County) on behalf of Schrack Farms</a>	Other		8/29/2015	8/1/2015	9/11/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Land Recycling Program Technical Guidance Manual for Vapor Intrusion into Buildings from Groundwater and Soil under Act 2 (261-0300-101)</a>	Policy		7/25/2015	7/25/2015	9/23/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Radiation Protection Compliance &amp; Enforcement Guidance</a>	Policy		7/25/2015	7/25/2015	9/8/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Proposed State Implementation Plan Revision for North Reading Nonattainment Area for the 2008 Lead National Ambient Air Quality Standard</a>	Other		6/20/2015	6/20/2015	7/23/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Draft Nonpoint Source Management Plan - 2014 Update</a>	Other		6/20/2015	6/20/2015	7/20/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Programs – Federal Fiscal Year 2015 Intended Use Plans</a>	Other		6/20/2015	6/20/2015	7/24/2015	*
<a href="#">Draft Program Assessment and Strategy Publication under Section 309 of the Coastal Zone Management Act</a>	Other		6/6/2015	6/6/2015	7/7/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Policy for Development and Publication of Technical Guidance (012-0900-001)</a>	Policy		5/30/2015	5/30/2015	7/14/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">***EXTENDED: NPDES General Permit for Stormwater Discharges from Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems, PAG-13</a>	Other		8/15/2015	5/30/2015	8/31/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
Federal Consistency Under the Coastal Zone Management Act – Spring Garden Street Waterfront Rehabilitation Project	Other		5/23/2015	5/23/2015	6/15/2015	<a href="#">View comments</a>
Federal Consistency under the Coastal Zone Management Act - Penn's Landing Marina; Spruce Street Harbor Park	Other		5/9/2015	5/9/2015	5/26/2015	*
Nutrient Credit Trading Program; Credit Certification	Other		4/18/2015	4/18/2015	5/20/2015	*
Federal Consistency Under the Coastal Zone Management Act; Maintenance Dredging at Presque Isle and Erie Bluffs State Parks	Other		4/18/2015	4/18/2015	5/4/2015	*
<a href="#">Pennsylvania's Capability Enhancement Strategy (DEP ID: 383-0400-114)</a>	Policy		4/4/2015	4/4/2015	5/4/2015	*
<a href="#">Advanced Notice of Final Rulemaking - Environmental Protection Performance Standards at Oil and Gas Well Sites (25 Pa. Code Chapter 78)</a>	Reg		4/4/2015	4/3/2015	5/19/2015	*
<a href="#">Riparian Buffer or Riparian Forest Buffer Equivalency Demonstration (DEP ID: 310-2135-002)</a>	Policy		3/21/2015	3/21/2015	5/20/2015	*
<a href="#">Riparian Buffer or Riparian Forest Buffer Offsetting (DEP ID: 310-2135-003)</a>	Policy		3/21/2015	3/21/2015	5/20/2015	*
<a href="#">Public Notice of the Draft NPDES General Permit for Discharges from Hydrostatic Testing of Tanks and Pipelines (PAG-10)</a>	Other		3/21/2015	3/21/2015	4/20/2015	*
Interstate Pollution Transport Reduction; Proposed 2015 Ozone Season Nitrogen Oxide Emission Limits for Nonelectric Generating Units	Other		3/21/2015	3/21/2015	4/5/2015	*

Security Rule for Radioactive Material (25 Pa. Code Chapter 215)	Reg	 3/21/2015	3/21/2015	4/20/2015	*
Federal Consistency under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 Marine Fisheries Proposed Revisions to Guidelines for National Standard 1, 3, and 7	Other	 2/28/2015	2/28/2015	3/16/2015	* <a href="#">Home</a>
<a href="#">Acid Mine Drainage Set-Aside Program: Program Implementation Guidelines (DEP ID: 370-5500-001)</a>	Policy	 2/21/2015	2/21/2015	3/23/2015	*
Removal of Sites from the Pennsylvania Priority List of Hazardous Sites for Remedial Response	Other	 2/14/2015	2/14/2015	3/16/2015	*
<a href="#">Designation Criteria for Regulated Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4) (DEP ID: 385-0820-001)</a>	Policy	 1/3/2015	1/3/2015	2/2/2015	*
<a href="#">Use of Reclamation Fill at Active Noncoal Sites (DEP ID: 563-2000-301)</a>	Policy	 12/27/2014	12/27/2014	1/26/2015	*
<a href="#">Developing National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permits for Mining Activities (DEP ID: 563-2112-115)</a>	Policy	 12/27/2014	12/27/2014	1/26/2015	*
<a href="#">Implementation Plan for Act 162 of 2014 (DEP ID: 310-2135-001)</a>	Policy	 12/20/2014	12/20/2014	2/18/2015	*
<a href="#">Management of Fill (DEP ID: 258-2182-773)</a>	Policy	 12/20/2014	12/20/2014	2/18/2015	*
<a href="#">Guidelines for the Beneficial Use of Coal Ash at Coal Mines (DEP ID: 563-2112-228)</a>	Policy	 12/13/2014	12/13/2014	1/13/2015	*
<a href="#">Proposed Request for Delegation of Authority to Implement the Federal Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators Plan</a>	Other	 11/1/2014	11/1/2014	1/9/2015	*
Standards for Surface Facilities (25 Pa. Code Chapter 208)	Reg	 8/2/2014	8/2/2014	9/2/2014	*
Control of VOC Emissions from Fiberglass Boat Manufacturing Materials (25 Pa. Code Chapter 129)	Reg	 7/19/2014	7/19/2014	9/22/2014	*
Administration of Land Recycling Program (25 Pa. Code Chapter 250)	Reg	 5/17/2014	5/17/2014	6/17/2014	*
Additional RACT Requirements for Major Sources of NOx and VOCs (25 Pa. Code Chapters 121 and 129)	Reg	 4/19/2014	4/19/2014	6/30/2014	*
Environmental Protection Performance Standards at Oil and Gas Well Sites (25 Pa. Code Chapter 78)	Reg	 12/14/2013	12/14/2013	3/14/2014	*

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<a href="#">Pennsylvania's 2015-2016 Annual Ambient Air Monitoring Network Plan</a>	Other	n/a	<a href="#">View comments</a>
<a href="#">Training Provider Manual for the Pennsylvania Water and Wastewater System Operator Training Program (DEP ID: 391-2300-002)</a>	Policy	 6/20/2015	*
<a href="#">Land Reclamation Financial Guarantees and Bioenergy Crop Bonding (25 Pa. Code Chapters 77, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, and 211)</a>	Reg	 8/22/2015	*
<a href="#">Accident Reporting Requirements</a>	Policy	 9/12/2015	*

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